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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Michael Hamilton et al.

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MESSAGE ROUTING

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action mailed January 7, 2003 be extended for three months to July 7, 2003. A response to the Office Action and an Eighth IDS are being filed concurrently with this Petition. Check no. O-3368 is enclosed as payment for the three-month extension fee of \$465 (small entity). Please credit/debit Deposit Account 03-2640 with any necessary adjustment to that payment.

Dated June 27, 2003.

Respectfully submitted

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